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THE LILY NYMPH.

CHARACTERS

The Lily Nymph	-	-	-	<i>Soprano.</i>
Sir Albrecht	-	-	-	- <i>Tenor.</i>
The Lake Spirit	-	-	-	<i>Baritone.</i>
First Knight	-	-	-	<i>Baritone.</i>
Second Knight	-	-	-	- <i>Tenor.</i>
Chorus of Knights, Elves, Dryads and Nymphs.				

A short pause may occur after the fourth scene, but with this exception, the performance of this work should be continuous.

THE LILY NYMPH.

Poem by
ARLO BATES.

SCENE I.

Music by
G.W. CHADWICK.

(Night; A valley in the Black Forest, In the middle, a lake dotted with white water lilies and stretching back to a thick forest. The tramp of horses is heard.)

Molto tranquillo. ♩ = 66

pp *cresc.*

A 8

f p *f*

B (Enter Sir Albrecht followed by a group of retainers.)

dim. *sempre* *pp*

THE KNIGHTS.
TENOR.

CHORUS.

pp How still and how peaceful the for-est lies sleep-ing, we ride through the

BASS. *pp* How still

night like the shapes of a dream,

Be-side us the shad-ows their phantom march

p like com-rades, *cresc.* like com-rades and knights like

keep-ing, like com-rades,

comrades and knights of our fel-low-ship seem like com-rades they seem

C
pp Tramp, tramp, tramp, tramp, our hors - es go — tramp, tramp thread - ing,
pp *f* *p*

pp *f* *p*

f = 76
 the dark - ness slow - and yet when the moon shall rise - - - eag - er we
f *pp*

ride since joy - ful our mas - ter speeds on to his bride, since
f

ff joy - ful our master speeds on, speeds on to - - his
ff

D

bride

(The sound of female voices is heard from the forest)

ALTO I & II. *pp* (humming)

ALTO III. *pp*

Animato ♩ = 108

Lento (*ad lib.*)

E

1st KNIGHT.

Hark Hark what sound awakes music the silence breaks

Tempo I. ♩ = 72

pp a tempo *piu p*

what may these notes be - to - ken

Animato. ♩ = 108

ALTO I.

ALTO II. (The voices are again heard.)

(humming)

pp

pp

Lento (*ad lib.*)

2^d KNIGHT.

p It is mid - sum - mer night when spir its take their

Tempo I. ♩ = 72

p a tempo

flight and el - fin spells are bro - ken

un poco più mosso

F Enter a group of Dryads twining one another in garlands.

dim - *in* *p*

THE DRYADS. Semi Chorus. ALTOS.

mp
♩ = 80
We love the aisles — of the for - est

The first system of the musical score. It features a vocal line for Altos and a piano accompaniment. The key signature is two sharps (F# and C#), and the time signature is 3/4. The tempo is marked as quarter note = 80. The vocal line begins with a half rest, followed by the lyrics 'We love the aisles — of the for - est'. The piano accompaniment consists of arpeggiated chords in the right hand and sustained chords in the left hand.

trees and the pat - tering murmur of leaves we love the sound of the morning

The second system of the musical score. The vocal line continues with the lyrics 'trees and the pat - tering murmur of leaves we love the sound of the morning'. The piano accompaniment continues with arpeggiated figures. The system ends with a fermata over the final note of the vocal line.

breeze as it laughs and sighs and grieves — But

The third system of the musical score. The vocal line has the lyrics 'breeze as it laughs and sighs and grieves — But'. The piano accompaniment features a more active arpeggiated pattern. The system ends with a fermata and a '8' indicating a repeat or continuation.

best we love — the air - y flight where el - fins play the

The fourth system of the musical score. The vocal line has the lyrics 'best we love — the air - y flight where el - fins play the'. The piano accompaniment continues with arpeggiated figures. The system ends with a fermata.

live - long — night

The fifth system of the musical score. The vocal line has the lyrics 'live - long — night'. The piano accompaniment features a more active arpeggiated pattern. The system ends with a fermata. Above the system, there is a tempo change marking 'G ♩ = 88'.

p By leaf - y ways to

meet them we haste to find and greet them

Hark Hark their song fan - tas - tic

H piu vivace ♩ = 420 (Will to the wisp clear

flashes appear in the forest and over the lake. The Elves enter dancing and frolicking)

The el fin band draws

L'istesso tempo $\text{♩} = 120$

THE ELVES. (SOPRANO Semi Chorus) +)

Light as mote in the beam as they float as they gleam

THE DRYADS.

near

pp

Do they hasten to find us Do they hasten to find us

if we tease them still we please them still they fol - low, by

hill and hol - low in embraces to bind us They - hasten to

find us in em - bra - ces to bind us in em -

bra ces to bind us

p

pp

still they fol low by dale and hol -

dim. *rall.*

ELVES.
un poco meno mosso $\text{♩} = 112$

low light as mote as they float

DRYADS. SOP. *p*

ALTO.

KNIGHTS. TENOR. Hark Hark

BASS. Hark Hark

p

un poco meno mosso

p

by leaf-y ways to meet them

the wood-sprites call

Hark, hark the wood-sprites call the for-est trem-bles with

f

we haste to find and greet them

the wood-sprites call

sing - ing Hark Hark List to the musical

List to the

f If we tease them still we please them

f Hark Hark

mur - mers that fall Hark Hark

mur - mers that fall

K sostenuto assai ♩ = 100

we please them

List to the mu-si-cal mur-mers that fall

to the mur-mers

p It is mid sum-mers

p *sostenuto assai*

dim. in.

p light as mote in the beam *f* we haste to find and
p by leaf y ways to greet them
 night when spi_rits take their flight

8.

p greet them light as mote in the beam
f Hark *p* Hark Hark Hark we hear
p Hark Hark list to the wood nymps sing - ing

f *p*

f *mf* *p* ALTOS
f Hark Hark their songs so clear Hark *p*
f Hark Hark list to the wood nym sing - ing Hark *p*

8.

light as mote
SOP. & ALTO

Hark we hear their song fan-tas-tic like

Hark the sounds that fall like fair-y bells

8

in the beam we please them still we tease them

fair-y bells tink-ling-ly ring-ing

Hark tink-ling-ly ring-ing

8

light as mote
SOP. & ALTO

Hark we hear their song fan-tas-tic like

Hark the sounds that fall like fair-y bells

8

in the beam we please them still we tease them

fair - y bells tink - ling - ly ring - ing

tink - ling - ly ring - ing Hark Hark the

8

f

Hark They has - ten to find us

ALTO Hark hark we hear their song we

sounds that fall while elf and

8

p

to find us they has - ten

hear their song fan - tas - tic clear Hark

fair - y call list to the

8

p

p
in em - bra - ces to bind us
hark we hear their song we
wood - nymphs sing - ing like fair - y bells

8.....

still they fol - low by hill and hol - low
haste to find and greet them
tink - ling - ly ring - ing *p* Hark Hark the

M
p
They has - ten to find us
SOP. *p*
ALTO *p*
Hark Hark Hark their song
sounds that fall like fair - y bells
like *p*

8.....

p

They has - ten to find us

by leaf - y way to meet them we haste

tink - ling - ly ring - ing like fair - y bells -

in em - bra - ces em -

we haste to find and greet them Hark

tink - ling - ly ring - ing tink - ling

Hark

dim.

bra - ces to find us to find us

we haste to find and greet them Hark

tink - ling tink - ling - ly ring - ing Hark

- the bells

pp

pp

pp

8:

8:

pp

light as mote in the beam as they float

Hark Hark

Hark the bells

N *ppp*

as they gleam hark

Hark Hark

tink - ling - ly ing

ppp

8.....

exeunt ELVES & DRYADS.) 8... 8... 8---

Scene II.

(The Knights dismount and come forward.)

Allegro moderato. ♩ = 92

1st KNIGHT.

From fair - y spell set

free to - night the li - lies fair that on this lake ye see their own true

form may wear till morn shall break their joyance take their

2^d KNIGHT. A

But who has seen their

joy - ance take in dance and rev - el - ry

espress

love-ly band no more — may find in an - y land maid - ens so

fair to see their love - li - ness can

cresc.

nought express so all — di-vine they be

p

ALBRECHT. *Recit.*

what are the li-lies that we sleep-ing see who dance to night in joc-und

p

rev-el - ry

pp a tempo

B = 108

2^d KNIGHT.

They are li - lies en - chant - ed by the Lake - spir - it

cantando

plant - ed white as the

sf

stars in their bloom But on mid - summer

f

even is the el - finspellriven and they dance they dance

sf

and they dance in the gloom

sf

f *b* *e* *p*

Fa - tal the beau - ty of the fair li - ly daughters Deep dwells the

f *f* *f*

Lake - spir - it un - der its wa - ters and his charm -

f *f* *f*

work - eth harm - And the power - of his spell - is a

bove them that man may not see but to love

p *cras.*

them

pp

D

L'istesso tempo.

2^d KNIGHT.

But all

pas - sion, all pas - sion is vain

pas sion is vain they will love not a

gain since love would con - sume them like fire

And one for them are Death and de

Allegro agitato. ♩ = 138 ALBRECHT.

2^d KNIGHT.

sire.

1st KNIGHT.

mf

Be - ware be - ware the fa - tal charm

Allegro agitato.

sf *f* *fp*

mf

O knight be - ware be -

flee — — — ere it work thee harm beware beware

f *p*

ware the spell flee — — — while yet all is well

be ware the charm — flee — — — ere it work thee harm

cresc.

F *f con brio*

Safe in her love no charm hath power to work me

mf

harm safe in her love no charm hath

O knight be - ware the spell be -

O knight be - ware the charm O knight be -

G

power to work me harm I fear no fair - y

ware the charm O

ware the charm O

spell — who loves shall find all well —
 knight be-ware the spell O flee while all is
 knight be-ware the spell O knight beware the

safe in her' love — no power can work thee
 well, flee yet while all — while all is
 spell flee yet while all — while all is

harm — No charm — no
 well — O knight be - ware the
 well O knight be - ware be - ware the

charm hath power _____ to work me harm

charm flee ere it work thee harm beware the fa - tal

charm flee ere it work thee harm be -

No charm hath power _____ to work me

charm be - - ware, be - ware be - ware the fa - tal

ware beware the fa tal charm be - ware be - ware the fa - tal

harm _____ No

charm _____

charm _____

mag-ic of beau - ty may charm - me save that of the maid the maid who is

mine No spell - may have power to harm - me pro-

tect - ed by her love di - vine I fear - not the lake's daugh - ters

beau ty my heart cannot yield to their spell It

beats - but where pas - sion is du - ty so fond - ly it loves and so

well so fond - ly it loves and so

well Here will I watch what

er this night be - tide since morn - ing speeds me

K
to my bride.

2^d KNIGHT.

1st KNIGHT.

Be -

ware be-ware the fa - tal charm flee — ere it

pp cresc. O knight be-ware beware the spell
p work thee harm *f* be-ware beware be-ware the spell —

L Safe in her
 flee — while yet all is well
 flee — ere it work thee harm

love no charm hath power to work me harm

O knightbeware the

safe in her love, no charm hath power to work me

O knight be - ware the spell be - ware the

spell. O knight be - ware the

harm I fear no fair - y spell who

charm O knight be - ware the

charm O knight be - ware the

loves shall find all well safe in her
 spell O flee while all is well, flee yet while
 spell O knight be-ware the spell flee yet while

love no power can work me harm
 all while all is well
 all while all is well O knight be -

no charm no charm hath power to work me
 O knight be - ware the charm flee ere it work thee
 ware, be - ware the charm flee ere it work thee

ff

harm Nocharm hath power— to work me
harm beware the fa_tal charm be - ware beware be_ware the fa - tal
harm be - ware beware the fa_tal charm beware be_ware the fa - tal

sf

ff *ad lib.*
harm No power—
charm be - ware—
charm be - ware—

colla

to work me harm.
the fa - tal charm.
the fa - tal charm.

roce *ff* *sf*

p *cresc.* *sf*

Scene III.

The lake is covered by a light mist. The Dryads and Elves return, gathering in clusters and watching the lake.

Moderato. ♩ = 60

THE DRYADS.

pp

Chorus. ALTO.

pp

Cold

A sostenuto

on the lakes calm breast the li - lies white are sleep - ing lulled

THE ELVES. Chorus. SOPRANO.

p

The

in their wave rocked rest — of dreams the se - cret keep - ing

stars float with them on the tide,— and lov - - ing press them to their

The stars float on the tide, and

pp *cresc.*

side,— They sleep— till mid night's charmed hour shall wake them with its

press them to their side— They sleep till mid-night's hour

mag - - ic power.

They sleep,— they sleep, cold on the lakes, calm

8. *p* *p*

They sleep till mid night's hour, shall wake them with its power.

breast, The li - lies white are sleep - ing, lulled in their wave rocked

They sleep till mid - night's hour shall wake them with its
rest till mid - night's hour shall wake them with its

f *p*

B (The mist rises and over the sur face of the water are seen a company of beautiful Nymphs.)

power. The hour is
power. The hour is here

Piu mosso ♩ = 98

pp *cresc.*

Molto vivace. ♩ = 112 (The Lily Nymphs move over the water in a graceful dance)

here, they wake, they wake.

Molto vivace.

ff *f*

TENOR. *p*
THE KNIGHTS. See! Brothers! the li - lies
BASS.

p

wak - ing! see! Bro - thers! their fair - y semblance ta - king!

C

Now ad - vance, now re - treat, Now ad -

see, see the li - lies wak - ing see!

vance singing ev - - - er Now ad - vance

see! their hu - man semblance tak - ing! See — the li - lies

Now re-treat, sing-ing, sing-ing, Now ad-vance, sing-ing
wak-ing, the li-lies wak-ing, See the

ff singing ev-er. *sempre sotto mp* In the
sing-ing *ff* li-lies *ff* wak-ing. *mp* In the

D *roce e dolcissimo* *pp* Now ad-vance now re-
dance do they glance the lake o-ver, Spring-ing
dance do they glance the lake o-ver, Spring-ing

treat Sing - ing ev - er
 fleet as the bee to the clo - ver, Now ad - vance, now re -
 fleet as the bee to the clo - ver, Now ad - vance, now re -
 springing as the bee

Now ad - vance, now re - treat, cling - ing sweet, springing
 treat sing - ing ev - er cling - ing sweet who must
 treat sing - ing ev - er cling - ing sweet, springing who must
 cling - ing sweet, springing

fleet, cling - ing sweet, Who must sev - er,
 sev - er Who so quick - ly must sev - er,
 fleet, sev - er cling - ing sweet, Who must sev -
 fleet, Who so quick - ly must sev - er so

8

sing - ing, springing, clinging, sing - ing
 sing - ing ev - er, sing - ing
 er sing - ing ev - er, sing - ing
 quick - ly must sev - er, sing - ing, springing, cling - ing,
 8. *dim.*
 E
 ev - er, sing - ing ev - er, who
 ev - er, sing - ing ev - er, sing - ing ev - er
 ev - er, sing - ing ev - er, cling - ing sweet, who so
 8. sing - ing ev - er, who so
 quick - ly must sev - er, cling - ing
 er sing - ing sev - er, cling - ing sweet, who so
 quick - ly must sev - er, cling - ing sweet, who must
 quick - ly must sev - er, who must sev 8. er,

sweet who must sev - - - er, who must sev - er, *p*
 quick - - ly must sev - - - er, *p*
 sev - er who must sev - er, *p*
 who must sev - er

8.....

SOP. I & II. *F* *p*
 THE LILIES. White glid - ing feet, that meet the tide
 ALTO I & II. *p*
pp

and slid - ing fleet — peep out and hide — Arms moon beam

white, that gleam and leap, flash - ing like light, to

to charm the deep. White glid - ing

charm the deep. Bo - soms of snow

feet, peep out and hide,

and sweep of hair

Arms, moon beam white,

flung to and fro on smooth

pp

cantabile

that gleam and leap Bo - - -

necks bare,

p

soms of snow, and sweep of

Bo. soms. of snow and sweep of

hair in flow like gold

hair like gold, our

f *p* *p*

our charms be - - hold.

charms be - - hold.

f

G THE DANCE OF THE LILY NYMPHS.

This musical score is for a piece titled "THE DANCE OF THE LILY NYMPHS." It is written for piano and features a variety of musical notations and dynamics. The score is organized into six systems, each with a grand staff (treble and bass clefs). The first system includes a key signature change to two flats (B-flat and E-flat) and a time signature of 3/4. The second system begins with a forte (*f*) dynamic and includes a first ending bracket marked with an "8". The third system features a piano (*p*) dynamic and a first ending bracket marked with an "8". The fourth system includes a piano (*p*) dynamic and a first ending bracket marked with an "8". The fifth system features a crescendo (*cresc.*) dynamic and a first ending bracket marked with an "8". The sixth system includes a piano (*p*) dynamic and a first ending bracket marked with an "8". The score concludes with a final cadence. The piece is characterized by its flowing, dance-like melody and harmonic accompaniment.

This page of musical notation consists of seven systems of staves, each with a treble and bass clef. The notation includes various musical symbols such as notes, rests, and dynamic markings. The first system begins with a *dim.* marking. The second system includes a *p* marking. The third system features a repeat sign with a first ending bracket labeled '8'. The fourth system includes a key signature change marked with a 'K' and a repeat sign with a first ending bracket labeled '8'. The fifth system includes a *p* marking and a *dim.* marking. The sixth system includes a *p cresc.* marking. The seventh system includes a *f* marking and a *dim.* marking. The notation is written in a style typical of 20th-century piano music, with a focus on melodic and harmonic development.

L'istesso tempo ma animato.

NYMPHS. *mf* Our charms be hold,

KNIGHTS. *p* They beck - on us *f* there *p* Those

f In flow like gold,

forms of night *f* Their dance to

f Our charms be - - hold, *f* In

share *p* To soothe and ex - cite *f*

flow like gold.

But the fall of their spell shall en -

ff *3*

8

thrall thee well.

the fall

dim.

of the spell shall en - thrall en - thrall thee

p *pp*

well.

M

sf *3*

Andante con moto. $\text{♩} = 69$

p Oh, yield to beau - ty's

p dolce Oh, yield to beau - ty's mag - ic spell

p Oh, fa - tal beau - ty's mag - ic

p Oh, fa - - - tal

pp spell!

Are we not

Are we not fair as words can tell

spell! Who shall es - cape its pow - er

spell Who shall es cape its pow - er

fair No

Safe in her love no charm

fell Be - ware be - ware the fa - tal

fell Be - ware beware the fa - tal

p

charm — hath power to work thee harm *cresc.*

No charm, no charm hath power to work thee

charm, Be - - - ware, be - - - ware the

cresc.

cresc.

Ah! yield to beau - ty's mag - ic, mag - ic spell

harm Ah! yield to beau - ty's charm

charm Flee ere it work flee ere it work thee

Flee ere it work thee harm

f

2

p

N

are we not fair — as — words — can tell?

p

are we not fair — as words can tell?

harm, flee ere it work thee harm En - chant - - ment, en - flee

p

ff

yield to beau-ty's mag-ic spell Are we not

snar - ing spread they a - round

fair Ah! yield

fa - - - tal un - spar - ing, Oh, flee from their mag - ic pro

O *p* *Sostenuto.*

Then, gal - lant knights, love us well, and for -

found Love - means to life last fare-well, and for -

ev - er love well, love us well, gallant knights, love well, love
un_to life

ev - er farewell, un_to life, un_to loving fare - well,
un_to life, fare - well,

cresc.

sostenuto

well, love well gallant knights, and for ev - er, love us well, love us
love well, fare_well, fare well, fa - tal spell and for ev - er, fare - well, fare thee
farethee well,

p

well, gallant knights, love well, love well, gallant
well, life and love, fare - well, fare - well, fa - tal
fare - well, fare - well,

P

2

knights, love us well, and for - ev - - er, love us well, gallant knights love us
love well, gallant knights
spell, fare thee, well and for - ev - - er, fare well, life and love fare.

p

well, fare - well, love us well.
love well,
well, fare well.
fare - well fare - well,

pp dolcissimo

pp

Scene IV.

53

DUET AND CHORUS OF NYMPHS.

Andante tranquillo. $\text{♩} = 54$

(A Lily Nymph approaches, addressing Sir Albrecht)

Piano introduction in B-flat major, 4/4 time. The music is marked *pp* (pianissimo). It features a gentle, flowing melody in the right hand and a supporting bass line in the left hand, with some arpeggiated chords.

THE LILY NYMPH

First line of the Lily Nymph's song. The melody is in the right hand, with lyrics: "Out of the heart— of the wa - - ters, Out of the black wave be-". The piano accompaniment is in the left hand, marked *sf* (sforzando) at the beginning.

Second line of the Lily Nymph's song. The melody continues in the right hand, with lyrics: "low, Fairest of all the white daughters, bloomed I, as pure, as". The piano accompaniment continues in the left hand.

A

Third line of the Lily Nymph's song, marked with a large 'A' above the staff. The melody is in the right hand, with lyrics: "pure as the snow Ah! man may not see but to". The piano accompaniment is in the left hand, marked *espress.* (espressivo).

Fourth line of the Lily Nymph's song. The melody is in the right hand, with lyrics: "love me, And will by my glances is slain, But the". The piano accompaniment is in the left hand, marked *cresc.* (crescendo) and *sf* (sforzando) at the end.

power of a spell is a bove me, and hearts break with tur-bu-lent

ad lib

p cresc.

pain.

a tempo

rall.

B *un poco più lento* ♩ = 52

molto espressivo

p

But all passion, all pas-sion is Vain, all

passion is Vain, I can love not a-gain, Since love would con-sume me like fire,

p

Lento

And one for me are death— and de-sire

pp

C ALBRECHT.

*pp sotto voce**a tempo come primo*

Maid-en most fair, I a - dore thee! Such

spell has thy beau - ty cast o'er me, O stay, though but for one

mo - ment it be - O stay, O stay, O stay, I

love thee, I love thee, my heart, my

LILY NYMPH.

rall.

Ah mor-tal, en -

heart burns for thee, for thee.

*colla voce**f a tempo**p*

poco meno mosso ♩ = 72

treat - ing, I glide past thee fleet ing, to list - en were dan - ger, to love thee were

Death.

Fair maiden en - dear - ing, what danger in hear - ing, I love thee, sweet

Ah mor - tal, en - treat - ing, I glide past thee

rang - er, Far more than my breath, Fair maiden, en - dear - ing, what danger in

fleet - ing To love — thee, to love thee were Death, to

hear - ing I love — thee more than my breath,

love thee, to love thee, to love thee were

I love thee, I love thee, more than my

cresc.

Death, to love thee

breath, I love thee I love thee

dim.

to love thee, to love thee were

I love thee, I love thee, more than my

Death.

breath.

f a tempo

If

E

♩ = ♩

ALBRECHT.

thou canst but love me, Thy doom, how sweet to share — it, If

woe hangs a - bove — thee, My heart shall help thee bear it,

Ah love, ah love, my spir - it yearns for thine,

Give to my arms, — give to my arms, — thy

LILY NYMPH.

Ah, no! ah, no! It

form — di - vine

can not be, ah, no! ah,

no! and yet I cannot leave thee so.
(The Lily Nymph ap -

piu mosso ♩ = 76

piu mosso

proaches nearer.)
My heart, my heart burns for thee

My heart, my heart, what is thou
dear - est,

L.N.

fear - est?

ALB.

I ——— live, I live, but in thy

What power my will en - tranc - es! my
glanc - es, I live but in thy glanc - es,

heart, — what ist, what ist, thou — fear - est?
my heart burns, my heart burns for thee dear - est

SOPRANO I.II.

NYMPHS.

(The Lily Nymphs implore her by gestures to return,
while the Dryads and Elves show the utmost consternation)

Be -

ALTO I.II.

p

p Ah, love! ah, love!

ware, be - ware, O fair - est, be - ware, If

love ah, love! Ah, love! what ist thou fear - est?

ah love! my heart burns for thee dear - est!

mor - tal love thou shar - est, Thy doom is sure - ly

(She flings herself into the arms of Sir Albrecht)

molto animato Ah! what is death beside this bliss! who would not dare!

What is death beside this bliss! who would not dare!

spo - ken, If mor - tal love thou shar - est, Thy doom is

molto animato

doom for this kiss Loves rap - tures
doom for this kiss Loves rap - tures so our
spo - ken. If love thou shar - est, Be - ware, beware if
Be - ware, be -

so our hearts are fil - ling, All else is lost in joy so thril - ling,
hearts are fil - ling, All is lost in joy so thril - ling,
mor - tal love thou shar - est be - ware be - ware thy doom is sure - ly spo - ken
ware, be - ware, be - ware, be -

All is lost, is lost in joy so thril - ling.
All is lost in joy so thril - ling, in joy so
Be - ware, be - ware, beware, be -
ware, be - ware, be - ware,
sempre piu stretto

J Ah what is death be side this
 thril - ling, Ah what is
 ware, be - ware, Be -
 Be -

bliss - who would not dare doom for this
 death be side this bliss! who would not dare doom for this
 ware, be ware, be ware, thy
 ware, be ware, be ware, be ware, be ware,

kiss who'd not dare doom for this kiss! Ah!
 kiss who'd not dare doom for this kiss! Ah!
 doom is spo-ken, be - ware, thy doom is spo- -

K

meno mosso $\text{♩} = 54$

love! _____

(They sink in rapturous embraces)

love! _____

SOP. ken 'NYMPHS. He

ALTO. He clasps her with kiss - es,

TEN. He clasps her with kiss - es, Her

KNIGHTS. He clasps her with kiss - es, Her

BASS

meno mosso, molto largamente

f *ff* *f*

clasps — her with kiss - es, hearts

ru - by lips stain - ing, In joy — full - est bliss - es hearts

ru - by lips — stain - ing, In bliss - es, bliss - es hearts

ru - by lips stain - ing,

f know no re - strain - ing, *p* De - li - rious em - bra - cing, de -

f know no re - strain - ing, *p* De - li - rious em - bra - cing, de -

f ing *p molto cresc.*

L *ff* The Lily Nymphs, with sorrowful gestures move

li - rious em bra - cing, While sad - ly, sad - ly, sad - ly re -

li - rious em bra - cing, While sad - ly, sad - ly, sad - ly re -

8... 8... 8...

slowly backward over the lake. *dim.*

tra - cing our way down the wa - ters

tra - cing their way down the wa - ters *dim.*

8... *ff* *f* *dim.*

We go, the lake's daughters, we go, the lake's daughters.

They go, the lake's daughters, they go, the lake's daughters, they go.

go the lake's daughters

go the lake's daughters

ters, they go they go

piu tranquillo

simili

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Scene V.

(The light of morning begins to appear)

Andante tranquillo. ♩ = 54

pp sempre *dolciss.*

8

8

8

sf dim. *p*

A

pp *pp* *pp*

THE DRYADS With the lisp of light leaves, in the

AND ELVES With the lisp of light leaves, in the

8 With the lisp of light leaves,

morn - ning breeze sha - ken, Down the dim for - est aisles, see the gleaming dawn
 dim for - est aisles, see the dawn
 morn - ning breeze sha - ken, Down the dim for - est aisles, see the dawn
 8... in the morn - ning breeze sha - ken, Down the for - est aisles, see the dawn

wa - ken, *pp* Soft - est glow,
 wa - ken, *pp* Soft - est glow,
 wa - ken, *pp* Soft - est glow,

faint - est flush, *f* soft - est glow, *p*
 faint - est flush, soft - est glow as the lake rip - ples
 faint - est flush, soft - est

faint - est flush, faint - est flush,
 quick - en, faint - est flush, in the sky wax and
 glow, faint - est flush, faint - est

soft est glow, *p*
 thick - en, Till they die on the beach, in the
 flush,

sky wax and thick - en, in the sky wax and
 in the sky wax and

thick en.

thick en.

Fast the morn - ing star - fades like a

p

f

Fast the morn - ing star - fades like a

pearl dropped in wine, fast the

p

Fast the morn - ing star - fades, like a

pearl - dropped in wine, fast the morn - ing star - fades,

morn - ing star - fades, like a

f

see the gleam ing dawn

night is at end and the trembling leaves sha - ken, see the

night is at end and the trembling leaves sha - ken, see the

end. down the dim forest aisles see the gleaming dawn

D

wa - ken,

dawn wa - ken,

dawn wa - ken,

wa - ken,

pp sotto voce see the gleam ing dawn

soft - est glow, soft - est glow, see,

pp faint est flush, soft - est glow, see,

pp

wa - ken, soft - - - est
soft - - - est glow, soft - - - est
pp faint - est flush soft - - - est
soft - - - est, soft - - - est
calando

ppp glow.
ppp
ppp
ppp glow.
ppp

8

calando *ppp*

Scene VI.

SOLO and CHORUS of NYMPHS.

A commotion is heard over the water, and the voice of the Lake Spirit is heard from the depths.

Allegro con spirito. ♩ = 118

THE LAKE SPIRIT.

Re -

turn, re - turn, return ye li - ly maid - ens, re - turn once

more, once more your snowy sem - blance take. A - gain my

spells, my spells with might en - chain you, That nought, that

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nought ——— your charm-ed sleep may break.

A - gain my spells, my spells have

power, Now ——— comes the morn - ing hour.

THE LILY NYMPHS. Backward re_turning we

il doppio piu lento

dim. - - in

has - ten, Back to the lake where we sleep.

pp *mp* *pp*

THE LAKE SPIRIT.

Soon in the sun beams will glis - ten, Cool dew-y tears which we weep.

p *mp* *p*

C *Tempo I.* ♩ = 116

turn, re - turn, ye li - ly maid - ens,

p *mp* *p*

And float once more — up - on — the tide, Un - less the

p *mp* *p*

fire of love has touched you And mor tal

cres

won you to his side, Then shall

cen *do* *molto* *ff*

ye blight - ed fall and death make

sf *f* *rit* *sf colla voce*

end of all.

sf *ff* *a tempo*

Il doppio piu lento *p*

THE LILY NYMPHS. Backward return-ing we has - ten, Back to the lake where we

p *p*

sleep, Fa ding like mist wreathes that glis - ten,

p

THE LAKE SPIRIT.

D *Tempo I.* $\text{♩} = 116p$

Re -

Fa ding a way while we weep.

p *f* *p*

turn, re - turn, ye li - ly maid - ens. Un -

p *p*

less the taint of love ye know, Then blight - ed

p *f*

fall your beau - ty ho ly

with - erd and stained your leaves of

snow once more

once more once more my spells have

power

ad lib.

Now _____ comes the morn - ing

p *rall.*

E

hour.

ff *a tempo* *dim.*

p *f* *p*

sempre dim. e rit. *pp*

Scene VII.

Molto moderato. $\text{♩} = 56$ *pp* THE LILY NYMPH.

The first system of the musical score. The vocal line (treble clef) begins with the lyrics "The doom up - on me falls, a - las! a -". The piano accompaniment (grand staff) features a flowing melody in the right hand and a more rhythmic bass line in the left hand. The key signature has three flats (B-flat, E-flat, A-flat) and the time signature is 4/4.

The second system of the musical score. The vocal line continues with the lyrics "las! On the lake's bo_som as be fore With my white". The piano accompaniment continues with a similar texture. A dynamic marking of *p* (piano) appears in the piano part.

The third system of the musical score. The vocal line begins with the lyrics "sis - ters shall I float no more, in". The piano accompaniment features a more active melody in the right hand. A dynamic marking of *pp* (pianissimo) appears in the piano part.

The fourth system of the musical score. The vocal line concludes with the lyrics "love - liness, no more, no more." The piano accompaniment continues with a similar texture. A dynamic marking of *pp* (pianissimo) appears in the piano part.

A ALBRECHT.

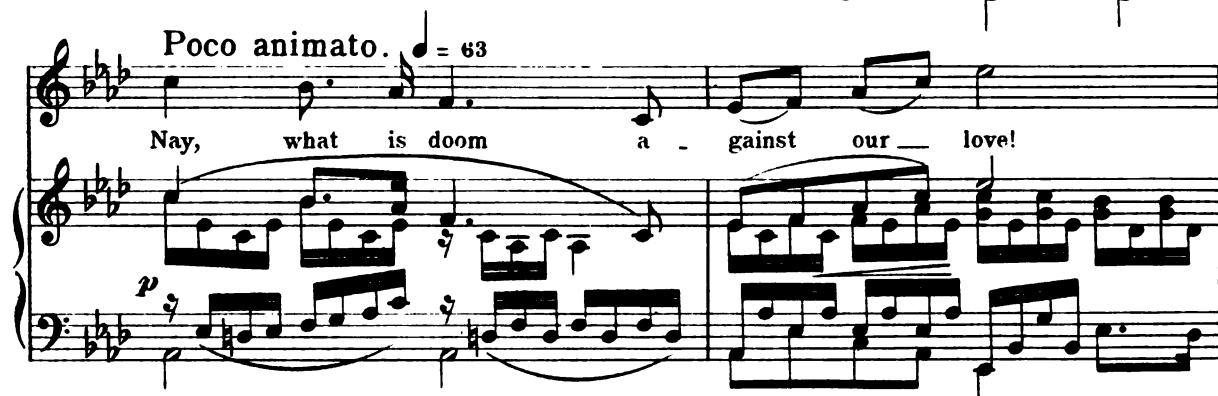
tranquillo

pp



Poco animato. ♩ = 63

Nay, what is doom a - gainst our love!

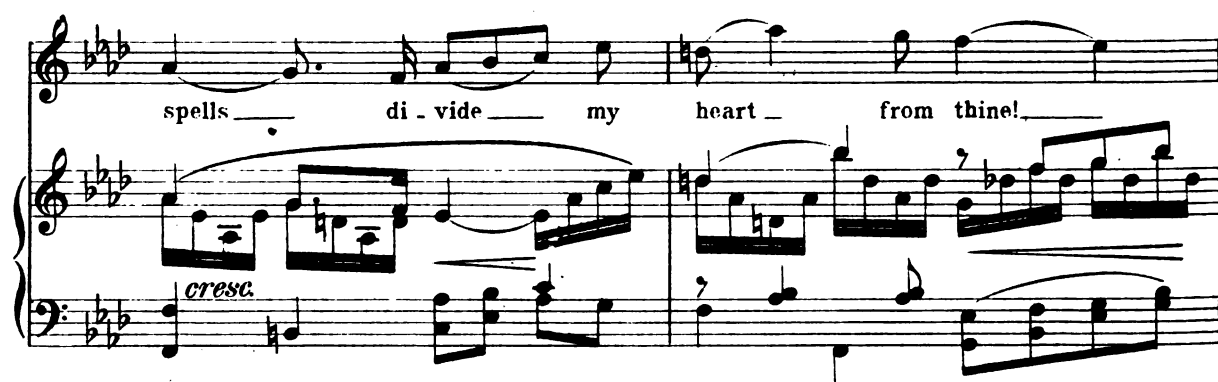


Heart's dear - est thou, heart's dear - est thou, can

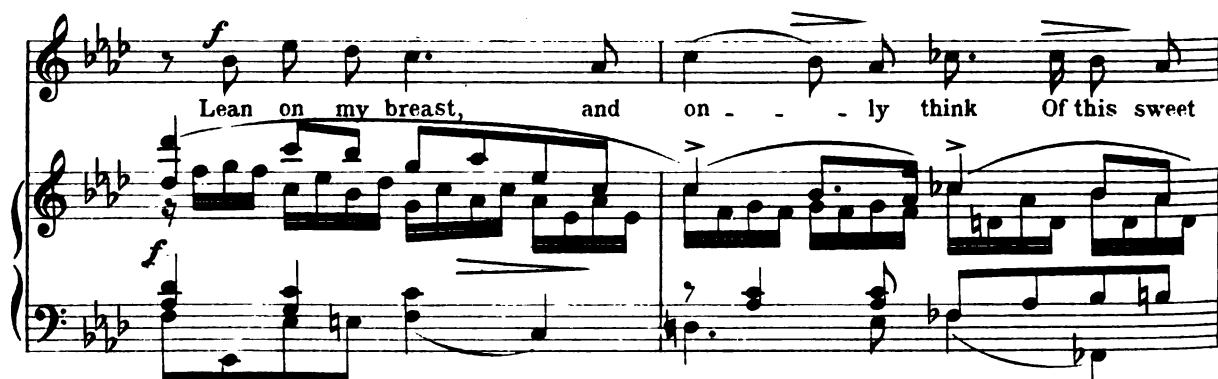


spells di - vide my heart from thine!

cresc.



Lean on my breast, and on - - ly think Of this sweet



rap - ture so di - vine.

p *pp*

B THE LILY NYMPH. ♩ = 66

Too late! too late!

f

soon will be sleep - ing, The li - lies all, save I a -

f

piu agitato ♩ = 72

lone, — save I a lone.

ALBRECHT.

Ah! bit - ter woe, what blight is creep - ing o'er

p *cresc.*

those clear eyes, that peer - less shone!

f

Farewell, farewell, fa - tal the spell, Ah! bit - ter

fare - well, fa - tal the spell. woe! Ah! bit - ter woe!

molto con brio
ah! leave me not, my life is in thy keep - ing.

D = 76
Heart's dearest thou, would I might re - main. Heart's dearest Ah - leave me not,

thou. Heart's dear, est thou.

Ah! leave me not, Ah! leave me not, to bit - ter

Ah! fa - tal, fa - tal

bit - ter weep - ing, Ah! leave me not, ah!

8

sempre piu animato

spell — too late, too late, Fare -

leave me not. Ah! woe, ah! woe,

p *sf*

well, Fare - well,

Ah! bit ter woe,

cresc. e accel.

(She kisses him passionately, then releases herself from his embrace and glides down again to the lake where she stretches up her arms in farewell)

E *Recit.*

well. Ah! fa-tal

ah! woe.

Allegro. $\text{♩} = 116$

ff *f* *Recit.*

a tempo *tempo ad lib sempre piu lento* (She sinks from sight)

spell, fare-well, fare-well, Heart's dearest, I for thee am slain.

meno f *p* *pp* *rall.*

SOP. **F** *sotto voce* (The mist again conceals the lake for a moment. When it

pp

THE LILIES. The doom on her falls as be-

ALTO. *pp*

Lento. $\text{♩} = 54$

8

lifts the Nymphs are gone, and the lilies are again on the water)

fore, Once more to blossoms turn-ing, Un-touched by pas-sions yearn-ing we

To blos-soms turn-ing

pp

float, But she is there no more.

pp

G ALBRECHT. *assai agitato*

Heart's dear, est thou, where are thou sleeping?

Allegro. $\text{♩} = 120$

pp *sf*

(He flings himself into the lake)

I plunge to seek thine arms a - gain.

sf

ff *sf* *strepitoso* *ff* *f*

TENOR.

H Lento. $\text{♩} = 60$

THE KNIGHTS. BASS.

Ah! he has plunged in the lakes night black

p

Lento.

mf *p* *rit* *pp* *pp*

wa - ters, He is gone, and no lon - ger our pleading can

hear. Van - ished like mist wreathes the lakes lovely

daugh - ters, On - ly one li - ly floats faded and

sere.

J *piu mosso*

pp *p* *f* *p*

sf *p* *f* *p*

K

f *mf* *f* *mf* *f*

sf *ff*

L

sf *dim.* *sempre*

p *pp*

dim. *pp attaccon*

EPILOGUE.

Andante sostenuto assai.

♩ = 63
ELVES*p*

DRYADS

p

Ah! li - ly maid, fare thee well, and for.

Ah! li - ly maid, fare well, and for.

KNIGHTS

Andante sostenuto assai.

pp

ev - er, fare well, gal-lant knight, tru-est lov-ers, fare

Fare thee well, li - ly maid,

well.

pp
Doom

with its spell fondest bo - soms will

Fare thee well, gal-lant knight,

*pp**f*

Leav - ing but blight of their pas - sion to
 sev - er, Leav - ing
 Fare thee well li - ly maid

tell. Fare thee well,
 Leav - ing but blight of their passion to tell,
 Fare thee well, gal-lant knight Fare well

A
 Fare thee well, li - ly maid,
 woe, hear we to the bride, Who for her love doth

Fare thee well, gal-lant knight, *f* Fare thee well gal-lant

bide, *ff* Woe bear we to the bride, Who

p *piuf* *Bf*

Fare thee well, li-ly maid, Ah! li-ly

knight, fare thee well, *f*

for her love doth bide, Ah! li-ly

p *cresc.* *f.*

maid, fare thee well, and for-ev-er, fare-well, gal-lant

gal-lant knight,

maid, fare thee well, and for-ev-er, fare-well, gal-lant

[illegible]

well, li - ly maid, and fore - ev - er, fare - well, gal - lant

li ly maid, and fore - ev - er, fare - well, gal - lant

well, li - ly maid, and fore - ev - er, fare - well, gal - lant

fare thee well gal - lant

[illegible]

well, li - ly maid, and for - ev - er, fare - well, gallant knight, li - ly

well, li - ly maid, and for - ev - er, farewell, farewell, li - ly

maid, tru - est lov - ers, fare - well, Fare - well, Fare -

maid, tru - est lov - ers, fare - well, fare thee fare - well,

well, Fare - well, Fare -

well,

pp Fare - well, Fare - well, fare - well,

Fare - well, Fare - well, Fare -

pp Fare - well,

pp Fare well, Fare -

well,

pp *pp*

FINE.

Fare - well, Fare - well,

well, Fare - well.

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